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TO AMEMBASSY TEHRAN
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TAGS: PINR, IR
SUBJECT: AMBASSADOR ELM-MOTALAQ ARRESTED FOR EMBEZZLEMENT

REF: TEHRAN'S 3177

1. WORD OF MOSTAFA ELM'S ARREST WAS GIVEN TO US LAST NIGHT BY ABDULLAH ALI JABIR, DIRECTOR OF PROTOCOL AT FONOFF. JABIR SAID HE HAD SEEN THE NEWS ON MINISTRY'S REUTERS TICKER.
 2. NEWS CAME AS A COMPLETE SURPRISE TO JABIR. IF ELM HAD BEEN INVOLVED IN HANKY-PANKY SUCH AS SELLING DUTY-FREE GOODS, JABIR WOULD PROBABLY HAVE KNOWN ABOUT IT.
 3. WE WERE EQUALLY SURPRISED. IF ELM IS INDEED GUILTY OF EMBEZZLEMENT, HE COVERED HIS TRACKS PRETTY WELL SO FAR AS KHARTOUM DIPLOMATIC CORPS IS CONCERNED.
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